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IN RE APPLICATION OF :

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FOR: MATERIAL FOR PURIFICATION
OF SEMICONDUCTOR POLISHING
SLURRY, MODULE FOR PURIFICATION
OF SEMICONDUCTOR POLISHING
SLURRY AND PROCESS FOR
PRODUCING SEMICONDUCTOR
POLISHING SLURRY

## **AMENDMENT**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Final Rejection dated February 6, 2009, and further to the Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.